

REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Title of Publication: img062[1].jpg

Other Known Title: Not Stated

Format: Computer Image File

Director/Author: Not Applicable

Producer/Publisher: Not Stated

Country of Origin: Not Stated

Language: Not Applicable

Classification:	Objectionable.
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Descriptive Note: Not Applicable.

Display Conditions: Not Applicable

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Date of direction to issue a label: Not Applicable

Applicant: The District Court at Auckland

Applicant to the Labelling Body: Not Applicable

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Unexcised version of publication: Not Applicable

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Menu:		
Feature:		
Other timed components:		
Total running time:		

Excisions: Not Applicable

Reasons for excisions:

Not Applicable

**Summary of reasons
for classification:**

The computer image file entitled *img062[1].jpg* is classified as:
Objectionable.

The publication is a computer image file submitted on a writable disc. The publication promotes and supports the exploitation of young persons for sexual purposes. The publication's most likely intended purpose is to encourage the sexual arousal of people with a sexual interest in young persons. The image shows a teenage boy in a state of sexual arousal. By encouraging viewers to be sexually aroused by the image, the publication legitimises the idea that young people are suitable sexual partners for adults or are ready for adult forms of sexual activity.

The classification of this publication interferes with the freedom of expression as set out in s14 of the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990. This outcome is consistent, however, with Parliament's intention in the Films, Videos, and Publications Classification Act 1993 that publications that promote and support the exploitation of young persons for sexual purposes are objectionable.